

Fredon Facts & Features

December 2021



December Recycling Dates



Monday, December 6th, 5 AM

Monday, December 20th, 5 AM

Recycling pick-up normally takes place on the **first** and **third** Monday of each month. Please place recyclables out on **Sunday night**. On regular pick-up days, place containers out on the **Sunday night before** the scheduled pick-up day. More information on single stream recycling can be found on the web site. Click [here](#).

Municipal Offices Closed for:

The Fredon Township Municipal Offices will be closed on Friday, December 24th, in observance of Christmas. The offices will reopen on Monday, December 27th at 8:00 A. M.



The Fredon Township Municipal Offices will be closed on Friday, December 31st in observance of New Year's. The offices will reopen on Monday, January 3rd at 8:00 A. M.



The Fredon Township employees and Township Committee wish everyone a happy, healthy New Year!



Fredon Township residents may bring Christmas trees for disposal to the back of the Municipal Building parking lot, located at 443 Route 94, through January 31st. Trees must be clean of decoration, lights, wire, rope and may not be in bags.



Christmas Tree Disposal



HELP WANTED

~ PART TIME ~

CIVIC CENTER ATTENDANT



Position open:

Attendant -Part time

Duties include:

- Responsible for Opening & Closing of Civic Center/Gymnasium
- Custodial Duties – light cleaning & maintenance which may include, but not limited to the following:
 - Sweeping, mopping, vacuuming, cleaning bathrooms, stocking supplies, running floor machine
 - Some outside work on an as-needed basis which may include, but not limited to the following:
 - snow removal (shoveling, snow blowing, sweeping)
 - sidewalk de-icing

Hours vary:

Monday through Friday, Afternoons, Evenings, Saturdays & Sundays

~Must be 18 years old or older~

~ Must pass background check ~

Applications are available [here](#) or the Fredon Township Municipal Clerk's office, 443 Route 94, Fredon Township, NJ 07860. Call 973-383-7025, Ext. 21 or email deputyclerk@fredonnj.gov for more information.

Dog Licenses

Dog Licenses are due by January 31st!

Annual dog license renewals are due by January 31, 2022. Licenses received after January 31st are subject to a \$5.00 per month, per dog, late fee.

The rabies vaccine expiration date must be past November 1, 2022. If your dog's vaccination expires



TOP REASONS TO LICENSE YOUR DOG:

1. It greatly improves your chance of getting your dog back if it goes missing.
2. It lets people know your dog is up to date on its rabies vaccine.
3. It's the law!



before November

1, 2022, you must have your dog re-vaccinated before submitting this application. The owner is required to supply proof of vaccination from the veterinarian. [Click for a list other rabies clinics in Sussex County](#) and [Warren County](#).

ATTENTION SENIORS

The Sussex County Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Senior Services publishes a monthly newsletter with information on support groups, tips, events, meetings, etc. that are relevant to seniors.

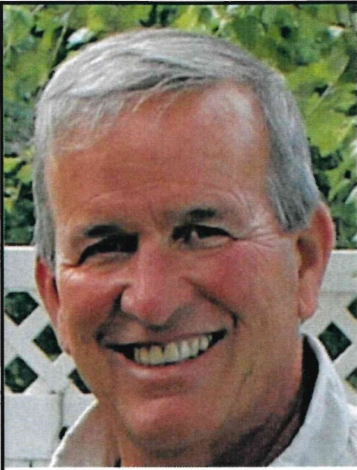
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New Jersey Property Tax Relief Programs

For information about State Property Tax Relief Programs, including eligibility criterion and potential deduction or credit amounts, please visit the Division of Taxation's website at :

[New Jersey Tax Relief Programs](#)



George Morville Jr.

Area Senior Vice President
Arthur J. Gallagher Risk
Management Services Inc.

Boy Scouts of America
2021 Victor Avondoglio Service Award

George Morville is a fourth generation Sussex County resident serving Sussex County and northern New Jersey for over 40 years as a risk manager specializing in public entities and public school districts. Beginning his career in insurance in 1975, he worked for his father and eventually purchased the Morville Agency. After several mergers and acquisitions, George sold his business to Arthur J. Gallagher Risk Management Services to add additional markets and expertise within Gallagher Public Entity Division. He is currently the area senior vice president for the Newton office.

George is a graduate of Newton High School in 1972 and Plymouth State College in 1976. In addition to his life's work as a risk manager, George has served on the Newton Medical Center Foundation since its inception. As a member and chairman of the foundation, George chaired the 2001 Emergency Room Capital Campaign, the 2005 Charles L. Tice Heart Center, 2012 Imagine Campaign and the 2016 TogethER Campaign, raising in excess of \$13 million for the hospital. Leveraging resources, connecting local leaders and fundraising to support Sussex County is one of George's prized accomplishments. He is proud to have been a member of the board of directors during the Atlantic Health Care merger, helping to preserve quality healthcare in Sussex County.

George started Scouting with his mom as den mother, continued to Boy Scouts Troop 93 in Fredon, New Jersey, and reached the level of Life Scout prior to his sophomore year in high school. A lifelong learner and athlete, George founded and coached the Kittatinny Regional High School Lacrosse Team, and he was inducted into the Sussex County Hall of Fame for his collegiate lacrosse career along with contributions to lacrosse in Sussex County. George was a member of the Frankford Township Board of Education and later president of the Kittatinny Regional Board of Education. He has proudly served as president of the United Way of Sussex County and past president of Newton Rotary. Working with the Sussex County Chamber of Commerce Education Committee, SCARC, Yellow Frame Presbyterian Church and Pass It Along feeds his passion for community spirit. Inspired by young people, George takes great joy in mentoring and supporting Sussex County's young adults with the intention of growing the next generation of community leaders.

George believes in tradition and strives to honor the lessons his parents taught him by passing onto his children the importance of family, work ethic, loyalty and love. Spending more time with his family, four children and grandchildren is his life's dream. The greatest joy in life has been transitioning from "Georgie" to George to Daddy to Coach and now Pop, enriching his life's journey.

Winter Reminders

One never knows what the winter will bring as far as the amount of snowfall, so please keep in mind that Fredon Township Ordinances state that **"no snow which accumulates within private property is to be thrown, placed or deposited upon the sidewalks, streets or public roads of the Township"**. Additionally, please make sure that any private contractor plowing your driveway complies with this ordinance, as it is the property owners' responsibility. Snow plowed, blown or shoveled onto the roadway often creates an unexpected hazard for drivers. Noncompliance with this ordinance may result in a notice of violation and fines beginning at \$100.00.

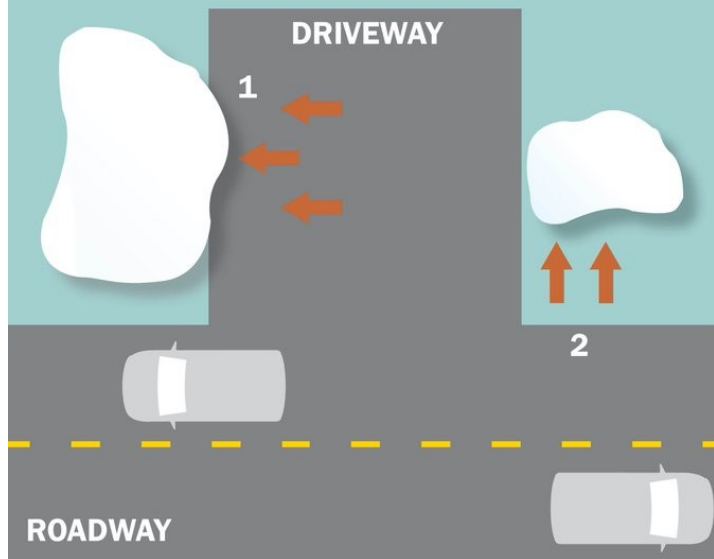
No parking on any street 24/7

from November 1 to April 15th

Residents are reminded that parking on any street at any time from November 1st through April 15th is prohibited in order to facilitate snow removal.

DRIVEWAY SNOW REMOVAL

Wondering what's the best way to plow your driveway to help avoid safety issues and snow berms? Here's what we recommend:

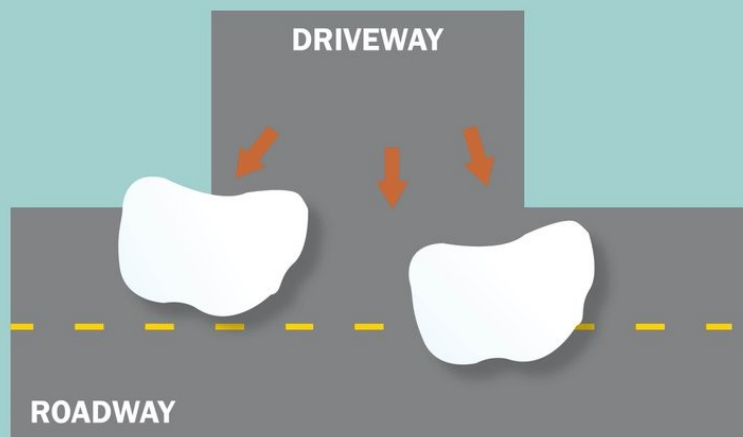


DO this

- 1 Move snow from your driveway onto your property:** Standing, facing the road, move snow over to the right side of your driveway.
- 2 And clear the area by the road on the left side of your driveway.** This gives plows a place to unload snow and helps reduce the chance of a snow berm being created across your driveway.

NOT this

Move snow from driveways into the road or right-of-way: It's illegal to push snow into or across roadways and rights-of-way. This can create a hazard for people traveling the road, such as drivers, bikers and snow removal equipment operators.



From the Department of Public Works...

While we have heard that the approaching winter may have less snow than normal, it's best to be prepared!

WINTER STORM MAINTENANCE: Upon notification of a winter storm, the Public Works Department will call in the appropriate employees, provide them with the appropriate equipment to surface treat roads in the following manner:

Pre-Storm Preparations 48-72 hours:

- Monitor weather forecast and weather stations
- Material and supplies are verified.
- Staff are put on notice and updated on pending weather.
Equipment and vehicles are inspected for readiness.

During Storm:

- It is not possible to maintain a snow and ice-free road during every storm. It is the intention of the Township to provide practical safe access to homes, businesses and municipal facilities during winter storms.
- As the storm develops and 3 to 4 inches of snow accumulates on the road surface, plowing operations will commence. Additional staff is called. Plow drivers will be dispatched to complete sections of town utilizing the standard DPW service map. Crews will plow roadways and apply salt as needed. Crews will assure emergency route are given first preference during this period.

Post-Storm:

When a storm has completely ended, crews will start their final pass. Crews will plow and salt assigned section(s). Salt is applied as needed.

PLOWING CURB TO CURB : The snow windrow must be pushed back as far as possible for many reasons such as:

- Storm water run-off
- Space for future snow storage
- To permit maximum possible view of traffic of the roads

What can Residents do to help the Snow Removal Efforts?

- **DO** keep your cars parked off the street.
- **DO** remove snow and ice from your walkways.
- **DO** place the snow from your sidewalks, driveways and parking spaces onto your property or you risk having them covered when the plows come by. The DPW asks residents to be patient as we make multiple passes to clear the roads.
- **DO** stay off the roads if possible. Fewer cars mean that our drivers can plow without additional hazards. If you do go out, keep a safe distance from the Township's plows.
- **DO** clear your fire hydrants!
- **DO** clear the area in front of your mailbox to insure mail delivery.
- **DO NOT** brush snow from cars into the street.
- **DO NOT** shovel/snow blow snow from driveways or sidewalks into the street.
- Be aware that residents are responsible for the actions of their contractors.

The Township is responsible for the municipal roads only. The Sussex County Division of Public Works is responsible for the County roads. The New Jersey Department of Transportation is responsible for State Route 94.